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Confirmation Number	8078
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First Named Inventor	JOHN J. CURRO
Examiner Name	J. R. Pierce
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Code (\$)	Fee Description
103 18	Claims in excess of 20
102 84	Independent claims in excess of 3
104 280	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109 84	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
110 18	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 & over original patent

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

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127 50	Surcharge-late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	<input type="checkbox"/>
139 130	Non-English specification	<input type="checkbox"/>
147 2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	<input type="checkbox"/>
112 920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner's action	<input type="checkbox"/>
113 1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner's action	<input type="checkbox"/>
115 110	Extension for reply within 1 st month	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
116 410	Extension for reply within 2 nd month	<input type="checkbox"/>
117 920	Extension for reply within 3 rd month	<input type="checkbox"/>
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119 320	Notice of Appeal	<input type="checkbox"/>
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138 1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Application No.	:	09/886,831
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INTRODUCTORY REMARKS

In response to the Final Office Action of May 19, 2003, the time for response being extended by one month, pursuant to the fee charged to the Assignee's Deposit Account in the papers submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows and consider the following remarks and reconsider the application. Attached hereto is a Petition for a One-

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Month Extension of Time, and the fee required under 37 CFR §1.17(a), providing for a timely response up to and including September 19, 2003.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.